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Applicant:

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Gas Assisted Spray Applicator

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendments Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2004. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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## CONCLUSION

It is believed that all claims are now in a condition for allowance. Allowance and notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

A three month extension fee is required, and the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 500471. If any other fees are required, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 500471.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' Representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this response.

Respectfully submitted,

Curtis Miller et al.,

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The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper or papers, as described herein, are being faxed to (703) 872-9306 which is the fax number for art unit number 3763 of the Commissioner for Patents on this 24th day of September, 2004.

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